

United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois

Name of Assigned Judge or Magistrate Judge	James B. Moran	Sitting Judge if Other than Assigned Judge	
CASE NUMBER	99 C 71	DATE	9/4/2003
CASE TITLE	Jack Webb vs. Chicago P.O. Amato et al.		

[In the following box (a) indicate the party filing the motion, e.g., plaintiff, defendant, 3rd party plaintiff, and (b) state briefly the nature of the motion being presented.]

MOTION:

Memorandum Opinion and Order

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- (1) Filed motion of [use listing in "Motion" box above.]
- (2) Brief in support of motion due _____.
- (3) Answer brief to motion due _____. Reply to answer brief due _____.
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- (5) Status hearing[held/continued to] [set for/re-set for] on _____ set for _____ at _____.
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- (9) This case is dismissed [with/without] prejudice and without costs[by/agreement/pursuant to]
 FRCP4(m) Local Rule 41.1 FRCP41(a)(1) FRCP41(a)(2).
- (10) [Other docket entry] Enter Memorandum Opinion and Order. Plaintiff's motion to use civilian complaints as evidence of patterns of conduct is denied, and defendants' corresponding motion to restrict their use is granted. (#81-1) His motion to exclude certain testimony of Dr Goldberg is denied. (#80-1) His motion to exclude his prior drug convictions is denied. (#79-1)

(11) [For further detail see order attached to the original minute order.]

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

JACK WEBB

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Plaintiff,

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vs.

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No. 99 C 71 DOCKETED

CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS
STEVEN AMATO, Star No. 9788 and
JACK DEDORE, Star No. 6889,

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Defendants.

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MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

We rule on plaintiff's motions as follows:

1. Plaintiff's motion to use civilian complaints as evidence of patterns of conduct is denied, and defendants' corresponding motion to restrict their use is granted.
2. His motion to exclude certain testimony of Dr. Goldberg is denied.
3. His motion to exclude his prior drug convictions is denied. They are appropriate impeachment of plaintiff and, two, provide a basis for asserting bias. They cannot, of course, be used as a basis for any argument that they support the notion that plaintiff was more likely to have possessed drugs on the day in question, and plaintiff is entitled to a limiting instruction.



JAMES B. MORAN
Senior Judge, U. S. District Court

Sept. 4, 2003.

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